GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HOME AFFAIRS
LOK SABHA

STARRED QUESTION NO:362
ANSWERED ON:28.03.2017
CISF Security
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Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) the number of vital installations in the country provided security cover by the Central Industrial Security Force (CISF);

(b) whether CISF proposes to take over the security of more such vital installations and if so, the details thereof;

(c) whether CISF is raising a Special Tactical Wing (STW) for enhanced combat and tactical advantage against terror attacks and if so, the details thereof along with the areas in which STW is likely to be used; and

(d) whether CISF also proposes to provide security cover to some more airports and is likely to be designated as the single agency to guard airports in the country, and if so, the details thereof?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS
(SHRI HANSRAJ GANGARAM AHIR)

(a) to (d): A statement is laid on the Table of the House.

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STATEMENT IN REPLY TO PARTS (a) To (d) OF THE LOK SABHA STARRED QUESTION NO. *362 FOR 28.03.2017.

(a &b) Deployment of CISF at installations of organizations/ Ministries concerned is considered on the basis of threat perception and their request. Presently, CISF is providing security cover to 329 installations such as Airports, Industrial Units, National Monuments and Government Buildings etc.
(c) The capabilities of CISF are continuously enhanced through training and providing requisite equipments. However, there is no such proposal at present to raise any separate wing within the CISF.
(d) Deployment of CISF at Airports is considered on the basis of threat assessment and requirement of Ministry of Civil Aviation. Presently, CISF is providing security cover to 59 Airports. In addition, CISF deployment has been approved for 3 more Airports.

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